

**Practitioner's Docket No. 1128c**

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: Joseph Michael Christie

Application No.: 09/421,718

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For: System and Method for Interfacing a Local Communication Device

Group No.: 2664

Examiner: Yao, Kwang Bin

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**Commissioner for Patents**

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**AMENDMENT**

Responsive to the Office Action dated August 15, 2003, please enter this amendment and consider the following remarks. A request for extension of time and an authorization for the appropriate fees are included with the present amendment.